

MICHAEL R. CLARK.

[To accompany Bill H. R. No. 396.]

MARCH 19, 1860.

Mr. BRABSON, from the Committee on Invalid Pensions, made the following

REPORT.

The Committee on Invalid Pensions, to whom was referred the memorial of Lieutenant Michael R. Clark, of the Palmetto regiment of South Carolina volunteers, have had the same under consideration, and beg leave to report :

That said Clark volunteered his services as a soldier for and during the Mexican war, on the 1st day of December, 1846, at Columbia, South Carolina, and was afterwards elected second lieutenant in Capt. William D. De Saussure's company, (H,) in Colonel Pierce M. Butler's regiment South Carolina volunteers.

He served until October, 1847, when he was discharged from active service, for disability, on sick leave, for the residue of the war. He acted as adjutant in Colonel Butler's regiment in the battles of "Cherubusco" and "Chapultepec," in which latter battle he was badly wounded while charging the enemy on the 13th day of September, 1847. His sickness and disability continuing, he was fully discharged on the 7th of July, 1848, by General Orders No. 36.

Lieutenant Clark is still suffering from the wound, and is now *totally* disabled from obtaining a subsistence for himself and family by manual labor ; and from the nature of his wound he is liable at any time to become more disabled. His half-pay invalid pension commenced from March 1, 1855, the day his evidence was completed.

We therefore recommend that he have a pension at thirty dollars per month, to commence March 1, 1860.

MICHAEL H. OLARK
Witnessed and sworn to before me

March 13, 1933

His Honor, from the Courtroom, made the following

REPORT

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